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antitrust

i could spout the typical adages about money, republicans, business, etc but there are more important issues. microsoft, over the years, has done much harm to others in the industry, aka competition, and nothing was done. they have crimped innovation and and continue to try to manipulate laws to suit there own (very large) ambitions. they try to stop the flow of security information and wipeout whomever opposes them. i could go on and on as i've been in the industry for many years.

the courts have ruled that they violated antitrust laws, they havelet that stand and press on with appropriate and meaningful penalties. their control, nay stranglehold, on technology must be loosened if not broken. i've seen too many good companies and technologies trampled by their ego.

please let justice be done. we don't ask for protection, only for the right to fair competition from their embrace, extend, and destroy attitudes.

thank you, jim trexler